

## THEY ONLY TALK!

And Runkle Remains Undisputed Hockey Champion

Runkle's hockey gauntlet which it threw to all other houses of the dormitories still remains untouched although various premonitory rumblings from those challenged indicates that some allied movement has been started to unseat the self established champions. A notice posted on the bulletin board in Runkle suggesting that a game be played on Saturday afternoon at 3 and which asked all those interested to sign their names bore only in bold face letters "Atkinson-All men." In the column left for remarks, a score of 32-0 had been placed. Joseph Christoph, Runkle 301, who has undertaken the organization of the Runkle team, however, has heard nothing from his Atkinson competitors and it is his belief that no single house will be able to produce a team able to cope with the one which he is confident Runkle can establish. He is still awaiting offers of games and if possible will stage the first of the series on Saturday.

## CREW PRACTICE BRINGS OUT MANY CANDIDATES

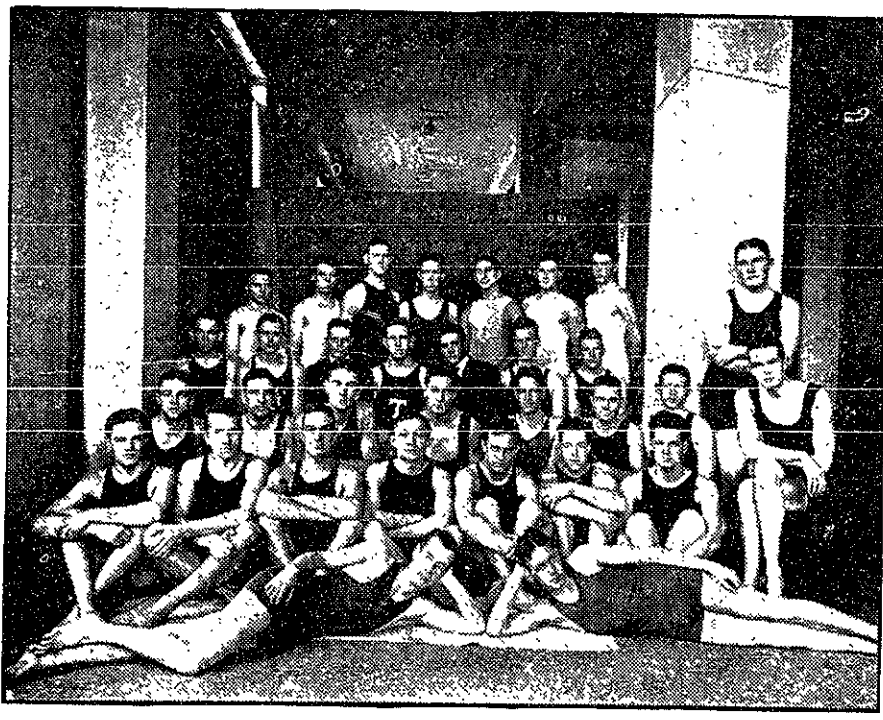
Veterans And New Men Furnish Much Material From Which to Pick

Crew practice started in with a rush Monday when about 100 prospective members met at the track house. Training starts in immediately and every candidate will be expected to keep faithfully such rules as are posted at the bulletin board in the track house. These include a requirement that all freshmen report at least three times a week for practice, which for the next month will consist in jogging around the track and working on the chest-weights. For those men unable to practice after 5 and who have classes from 3 to 5 special hours of practice will be arranged from 3 to 3 on Wednesday and Friday. In case of further conflict the man should report to the management. After the track work the squad will transfer to Walker Memorial where practice on machines will be maintained until the breaks up on the Charles, when the men will take to the shells. Strict attendance is required of all freshmen substituting crew for "gym." While this work is not compulsory for upper classmen, the management urges candidates to come out early and get into condition for the Spring races.

About 100 men were present at the crew meeting preceding the practice. Several men of previous experience showed up among them: R. W. Haskell, J. G. Hauber, I. D. Jakobson, L. A. Lord, E. Merrill, all of last year's winning crew, class of '21; J. J. Birnie, '21 freshman crew; University of Syracuse; E. Moreton '21, coxswain, freshman crew; Washington Lee; T. J. Homer, Roxbury Latin crew; H. J. Horne, Jr., Brookline High School crew; W. C. Felsch, F. B. Knight, Jr., Cornell freshman crew; J. A. Tishman, Columbia freshman crew; and R. W. Hemenway, Huntington School and interscholastic crews. There are about eight men out for freshman managers, but it is not too late for more aspirants to come into the competition. The present management consists of: H. J. Daube, manager; J. J. Hines, assistant-manager; T. Stef, second assistant-manager; G. Mosserop, manager Junior crew; W. F. Clemens, manager Sophomore crew.

This year there will be no Varsity according to the decision of the Advisory Council. The Council is not in favor of such a team, because, although there is plenty of material, there is not enough time or equipment available. A Varsity crew would require three hours practice daily, a training table, and an efficient, expensive coach. There will be, however, a "First crew of the Technology Rowing Association," which will represent not the Institute, but the association. In the interclass races in the Spring numerals will be awarded to the winning crew and managers. Races are being scheduled with Noble and Greenough, Middlesex and Stone schools. Races may also be arranged with Brookline, Exeter and Choates.

## Technology Swimming Team Has Many Likely Candidates



Left to right: (in front) W. Duane, Jr., H. C. Fish; (front row) C. G. Ball, N. C. Webb, E. A. Nusbaum, A. Power, Jr., J. R. Hemeon, E. L. Akerley, E. F. Gallagher; (second row) F. J. Ranlett, Jr., R. J. Bard, C. G. Rudderham, A. L. Johnson, H. S. Colton, H. H. Maxim, F. E. Slayter, F. J. O'Daly, Jr., N. J. Greene; (third row) R. I. Skinner, C. D. Greene, vice-captain, R. McKay, manager, M. Untersee, captain, W. D. McCarthy, coach, W. H. Young, S. M. Ridell; (back row) F. C. Paul, W. B. Purington, J. H. Keenan, R. W. Barker, S. Schenberg, J. H. Chadbourne, Jr., M. Morgan

THE prospects of the swimming team for this season are bright indeed. More than a hundred candidates have reported at the Boston Young Men's Christian Association pool, and the coach, William McCarthy, is satisfied with the work being done. On Thursday the lists of the varsity, second, and freshman teams will be put on the bulletin boards. The men on these three teams will meet on Friday at 1, the place to be announced later. This meeting is held for the purpose of making arrangements for the membership of the swimmers in the Boston Young Men's Christian Association and to elect a freshman captain.

The team has several men who have already made their name in this sport, as well as others who appear very promising. Three of last year's team have returned. These are Max Untersee, the captain, C. D. Green, the vice-captain, who was only defeated once last year, and William Young. Among the prominent swimmers of last year, who did not return, are Edward Bolah, crack "220" man, who placed in the Intercollegiate last year; Arthur Wales, plunger; Francis McGrath, dash man, and Jack Shaw and Albert Walker, divers. William Foster, who has been away a year and a half in the aviation service, has just returned to finish his course. He was captain in 1915 and 1916, and will be a great addition to the team. He swims in the dashes, and was on the relay team while at the Institute.

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## NAVIGATORS TO LEAVE

Aviation School At Technology Will Close Saturday

The Naval Aviation Detachment at Technology will leave the Institute Saturday the 18th, probably never to return. During the war over 6000 fliers have received their preliminary training at this school. In these 18 months an average of 200 men have been graduated every two weeks, trained in the theory of aerial navigation, gunnery, radio, and bombing.

When the United States entered the war the Institute offered the Walker Memorial to the Government for use as a ground-school in aviation. The Navy took the building and opened the school for instruction during July, 1917. It took college men and raw material out of civil life and transformed them into naval aviation officers. Rigid examinations admitted only the best of the applicants. Each class went through the weeding out process and under the scrutiny of experienced officers, the misfits were eliminated.

The preliminary course taught the cadets how to handle a machine gun,

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## OFFICERS ELECTED BY ELECTRICAL STUDENTS

The M. I. T. branch of A. I. E. E. elected officers and plans for a banner year. The committee on nominations and elections, announced the following officers for the remainder of the school year: Harmon B. Deal, president; R. D. Booth, vice-president; Miss Florence Fogler, secretary; Irving H. Wilson, treasurer.

Wednesday night, Jan. 22, will be the opening night of the society and all men of courses VI, XIV and XV, whether Junior, Sophomore, or Freshman, should be present. Plenty of smokes and live, wide-awake speakers are promised by the officers.

The officers have secured a speaker with a subject that is not so technical that men of course XIV and XV can offer that as an excuse for staying away.

Watch the TECH and bulletin boards for later announcements.

## DRILL FOR FRESHMEN TO START

Drill for freshman, J.G. will begin Friday according to the program of exercises in the Tabular View. If the weather is not suitable for drilling out-of-doors men will probably be required to report in the armory. Exact information on the subject will be posted on the Military Science bulletin board opposite Room 10-100.

Second Payment on the United War Work Campaign pledges is due January 18th. Total Amount pledged by students at The Institute \$16,195.80. Total collected to date \$7,416.60.  
Payment may be made at the Cashier's Office, Room 10-180.

## WALKER MEMORIAL TO OPEN SOON FOR STUDENT USE

All the Institute activities which have been assigned rooms in Walker Memorial will be able to occupy their new quarters in a few weeks. After the Naval Aviators leave on Saturday the building will be turned over to Stone and Webster to be repainted and refinished. It is estimated that about three weeks will be required to complete the work to be done and the activities expect to get in about the first of February.

## CHANGES IN FACULTY

Former Members of Instructing Staff Return from War Activities

Evers Burtner has been granted leave of absence till the opening of the fall term. This is in recognition of the continuous service that has been given by Mr. Burtner in common with members of the faculty of Naval Architecture, which has not been inactive for a single moment since war was declared. Professor C. H. Peabody, head of the department began at once the intensive work of preparing special groups of men for work in navy yards and ship yards, and these courses have butted one against the other without interval ever since. Every member of the staff has been constant in his patriotic endeavors, while Professor Peabody has undertaken other duties such as the academic administration of some of the schools established at the Institute by the Government. This work was later taken up by Professor C. B. Breed.

As their engagements elsewhere are terminated the former familiar faces are returning to their places among the instructing staff. Professor E. E. Bugbee of the department of Mining Engineering has returned from a Southern camp at which he was instructing duties while Gordon B. Wilkes, assistant Professor of Physics has returned.

Among the recent appointments are Percy Marks to be instructor in Eng-

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## MUSICAL CLUBS PLAN CONCERT

The coming season bids fair to become the most successful in the history of the Combined Musical Clubs. More men than ever before have turned out this year. Great headway has already been made in rehearsals and the work is going on with a vim.

The Banjo and Mandolin Clubs have each thirty-five members. The first rehearsals have shown a wealth of talent previously unexpected, and great results may be looked for from these clubs. The Glee Club has more candidates than it can accommodate, especially in the first bass part. However, if there are any more men who wish to become candidates they will be given a chance to try out at the next rehearsal. This applies also to the Banjo and Mandolin Clubs. It is impossible at present to print the names of the members in the Glee Club as there are to be more changes today or tomorrow. A list is posted on the bulletin board near the bursar's office and all candidates should watch this list closely, for there will be several changes in the near future.

As usual, quite a number of concerts are planned for this season. The first concert is to be given on Monday, February 3, at the Franklin Square House. The concert will include solos, duets and trios besides the usual numbers by the complete clubs. There will also be dancing. The Franklin Square House is the home of a business girls club. The annual concerts given there have always been very successful affairs.

## COMPETITION FOR TECH SHOW STARTS

Many Competitors Respond To Call for Candidates—Business And Publicity Departments Open to All

### MORE MEN WANTED

Since the Kommers Smoker on Friday competitions have started in both the publicity and business departments of the show with an excellent showing. In all thirty-three men are out and more are expected. The men out for publicity are as follows:

D. A. Brown, Jr., R. E. Downing, C. G. Greening, G. P. Godbout, C. W. Manville, H. E. Marston, A. K. Nicholson, P. S. O'Brien, W. K. Taft, R. H. Winde, G. A. Woodward all of the class of 1922. For the business department the following men are out:  
Sophomores—R. J. Spitz, E. T. Stefian, H. W. Smith, H. C. Button, H. duP. Baldwin, W. C. Kohl, J. D. Crosby, J. A. Facey, H. B. Field, F. W. Adams. Freshman—W. W. Bainbridge, Williams, A. P. Munning, H. I. Smith, Anderson, S. J. Copellman, R. A. Stone, Baker, D. R. Waugh, B. Haskell, K. E. Madden, R. Sterling.

On Thursday the remaining competition, that of the stage department will be held. There will probably be a large number of candidates out, as this is one of the most interesting departments of the Show. The competition will be at the Show Office.

## ORCHESTRA HOLDS FIRST REHEARSAL

The freshmen began to show some spirit by the large showing they made in coming out for the M. I. T. Orchestra last Friday. But, in spite of the large number of men out, more men are needed. There is a great need of men playing the flute, clarinet, cello, viola, trombone, and french horn. "Bill" Howard, the Tech Show musical director, was there to conduct the rehearsal and was pleased with the material obtained. He thought the prospects for a good season were better than any other previous years. Walker Memorial has been obtained for the present for rehearsals through the quick and efficient work of the manager. It is hoped that it can be used permanently.

A vote was taken as to the best night for rehearsals and the majority seemed in favor of Friday. Consequently, the next rehearsal will be at 5 o'clock Friday, in the Walker Memorial. "Bill" Howard will be there again and it is hoped that a still larger crowd will be out than at the last rehearsal.

## CALENDAR

- Wednesday, January 15**  
M. E. Society meeting at 5 in Room 3-174.  
Banjo club rehearsal at 5 in Room 10-275.
- Thursday, January 16**  
Cross-country team picture at 1 in Notman's Studio, Harvard Square.  
Tech Show competition for freshmen in Stage department at 5 in Show office.  
Glee club rehearsal a 5 in Room 10-250.
- Friday, January 17**  
Nominations for M. E. Society officers due at 12 in Room 10-100.  
Nominations for Chemical Society office. M. I. T. Orchestra rehearsal at 5 in Walker Memorial Dining Room.  
Mandolin club rehearsal at 5 in Room 10-250.
- Saturday, January 18.**  
Meeting of Latin-American club at 1 o'clock in Room 2-190.

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## A PROBLEM FOR THE INSTITUTE COMMITTEE

**A**FTER half a year of suspended activity the Institute Committee has again organized. From now on the responsibility of guiding the student life and activities rests with them. Without a doubt, the most important problem before them is the question of student activities. The Institute Committee can not take this matter too seriously. The manner in which the activities are handled is closely associated with the reputation of the school. This question has always been difficult to handle at Technology and the reason seems to be primarily due to the difficulty in getting the student body together in closer association and better acquainted. This is due to the fact that only a small percentage of the men lived in the dormitories or in the vicinity of the Institute. Then again there never were enough functions which brought out the whole student body. Realizing the value of getting the students together, the Institute committee in the fall of nineteen-sixteen started a series of Court Nights which were to be held in the great court. One was held and proved a success but the plans were never carried out. With winter weather to prevent holding a gathering in the great court, the best substitute would be a series of all Technology smokers. Smokers alone will not be the complete solution of the problem of getting the student body acquainted with one another and working together, but they are the first step.

## A LOST OPPORTUNITY

**B**Y failing to carry out their scheme for intersection hockey among the dormitory men an opportunity was lost to start a tradition that would have been of great value to the dormitory customs. With interest once aroused in hockey, there is every reason to believe that it could not be continued along through the baseball, rowing and tennis seasons. We hope that the men in the dormitories are not going to let the matter drop. Such an opportunity to establish a valuable tradition should not be lost.

## DON'T FORGET YOUR PLEDGE TO THE UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN

**T**HERE yet remains more than half of the money unpaid that was pledged by the men at Technology to the United War Work Campaign: \$16,195 was pledged and only \$7,416 has been collected so far. It is time to dig deep, for the boys in France will need your help this winter.

## NO NEW DORMITORIES YET

The various rumors concerning the erection of the proposed new dormitories were nipped in the bud by Bursar Horace S. Ford on Monday. When asked if he knew when the work on the erection of the dorms was to begin, he said that he knew nothing about it, in fact, this was the first time he had heard new dorms mentioned at all. It was thought around the Institute, that the new buildings, which were to have

been erected behind the Walker Memorial, if the war had not intervened would naturally be started, seeing that the cause for delay is removed, and especially since additional quarters are in such tremendous demand at present. Over two hundred applicants for dormitory rooms are now on the waiting list for the ones now standing, and many wish to get in who have not signed this list, as they felt it was useless to do so. Hence it was thought in the face of such great demand, the much talked of buildings would be erected.

## PERSONALS

The following citation has been received concerning First Lieutenant Percy A. Rideout, '11, for extraordinary heroism in action at Clerges, France, Oct. 4, 1918:

"Lieutenant Rideout made an extended reconnaissance in advance of the outposts, fearlessly exposed himself to enemy machine gun fire, being several times knocked down by exploding shells. The information he secured was valuable to the infantry giving them knowledge of exact location of machine gun nests. During the action this officer directed the smoke barrage from an exposed position, remaining at his station



PERCY A. RIDEOUT '11

throughout the operation in spite of severe shell and machine gun fire, and continuing to display the highest courage until he was killed by shell fire.

Notice has been received in Boston of the death in California of Edward A. Ingham '14. He was a native of Topeka, Kansas, but latterly a resident of Massachusetts where he was connected with a number of public spirited public health movements. Following graduation at the Institute he was appointed assistant in the department of Biology and assistant in the Sanitary Research Laboratory. He was advanced to instructor and to research associate and remained with Technology till 1917, when he went to California in charge of the southern district with headquarters at Los Angeles. Within a few months he moved to Berkeley, where he was at the time of his death. Following is a tribute to Mr. Ingham from his teacher, Dr. William T. Sedgwick:

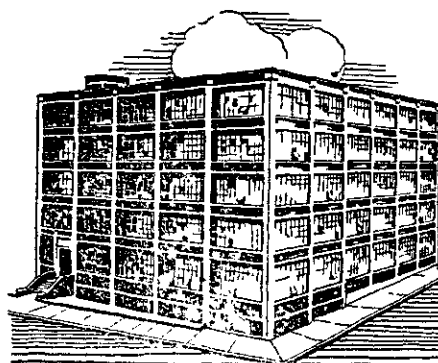
"The death of Ingham comes to all his friends as a painful surprise. A native of Kansas and a graduate of Washburn College at Topeka, Ingham became connected with us through the well known investigation of eggs and especially frozen eggs conducted by myself and others in Boston and in Kansas some years ago. Through this work he became a student, an assistant, and finally an instructor in the Department of Biology and Public Health at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

"Ingham was a hard worker, good investigator, and a first-rate teacher. He had high standards and lived up to them. He was full of energy, aggressive, ambitious and able. We were exceedingly sorry when after taking a competitive examination for District Health Officer of the State Board of Health of California, he was offered the position at a salary double that which he was receiving with us.

"Mr. Ingham did for our Sanitary Research Laboratory a special piece of work upon rural health conditions in Massachusetts and the activities and in activities of local Boards of Health. He also conducted for the Public Health Committee of the Massachusetts Medical Society a Public Health School, the first ever held in this state, similar to those previously held in other states, such as Kansas and Vermont, and in everything he undertook, his work was eminently satisfactory and successful.

"Mr. Ingham's death is not only a personal loss to all his friends and associates, but a real calamity at this particular period of the development of Public Health work, since without the Medical Degree but with the Certificate of the Harvard-Technology School of Public Health, he had made a name for himself as a District Health Officer and an efficient worker in an important State Board of Health. We shall long remember him as one of the ablest and most promising of the younger generation of Public Health workers."

Word has been received by Mrs. J. Bertram Williams of Channing Place, Cambridge, that her son Bertram Williams, first lieutenant in the 96th Air Service Squadron, was killed with his pilot, probably during the fighting at



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BERTRAM WILLIAMS

"We heard that both the pilot and Lt. B. Williams were shot down in flames and that they are buried at Charvey. We had hoped for information other than this, but I am afraid that the above facts will be found to be true, much to our regret."

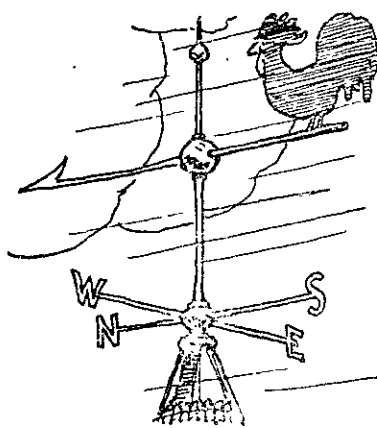
Lt. Williams, who was only 22 years of age, had seen considerable service in the war, although he had been at the front on active duty as a bomber and observer less than a month when he lost his life. He went to France in 1915, before the United States entered the war, to become a driver in the Morgan-Harjes ambulance service, and acted in that capacity until September, when he returned to this country to resume his studies at Harvard, where he was a member of the class of 1918.

In the summer of 1917 he entered the aviation school at Technology, and on the completion of his course there was sent to New York and then to France. On the other side, he was at first stationed at the American aviation base at Issoudun. From there he volunteered, with others, to take a course in observation at Grondrecourt, later being sent to Tours for practice. He was given practice in gunnery at Cazeau and in bombing at Claremont-Ferrand.

## VISITORS IN THE TECH. BUREAU FROM DECEMBER 12, TO DECEMBER 18, INCLUSIVE

December 12, 1918—T. S. Killion, '11; Robert S. Gans, '13;  
 December 13, 1918—Paul H. Buxton, '16; Fred T. Crossley, '10.  
 December 14, 1918—Ernest C. Bomar, '19; E. L. MacDonald, '13; Freeman Clarkson, '16; S. S. Batchelder, '17; George H. Jones '13; Arthur R. Stubbs, '14; E. N. Winslow, 18; W. G. Gordon, Jr., '09; Kenneth F. King, '15; R. B. Haynes, '13; F. W. Swain, '15; Raymond S. Smith, 18.  
 December 15, 1918—Harold R. Crowell, '16; P. L. Small, '15.  
 December 16, 1918—Charles W. Loomis, '16; Frederick H. Stover, '10.  
 December 17, 1918—Howard B. Allen, '18; Charles F. Main, '76; J. G. Strobbridge, '19; Nathaniel Warshaw, '16; John Mather, '07; C. A. Coleman '16.  
 December 18, 1918—Harold R. Crowell, '16; Ernest E. Polley, '15; James E. Wallis, '17; Paul H. Buxton, '16; O. G. Norton, '15; C. L. Bond, '20; Ralph Mills, '16; Frank W. Cary, 18.

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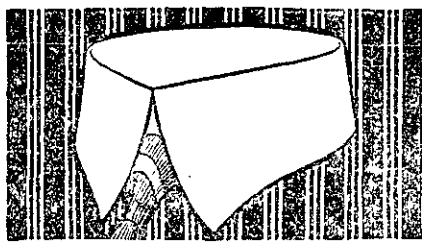
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## FACULTY CHANGES

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lish, Howard F. Reed to be assistant in the Machine Tool Laboratory. Victor O. Homerburg to be assistant in Analytical Chemistry. Donald S. Piston to be assistant in Physics and Leicester F. Hamilton to be assistant in Military Science and Tactics. Mr. Hamilton has been very active in the matter of military work. Colonel of the M. I. T. Cadet Regiment in his graduating year he returned to the Institute the following year in the department of Military Science and since that time has been connected with the department. On the establishment of the Naval Aviation Detachment at the Institute he was for a considerable time its instructor in military matters and has rendered like service in the M. I. T. battalion in its different forms since the war began.

An important outside promotion has come to Professor George E. Russell, '00, associate professor of Civil Engineering, namely that of president and general superintendent of the Junior Plattsburg. This was established to care for men younger than would be accepted at Plattsburg, with the idea and intention of furnishing well trained material for the older officer camps, and with the cessation of the war will become a summer military camp of the first class. Professor Russell, whose specialty is hydraulic engineer has been practically in charge of the Institute's Civil Engineering camp at East Machias, Me., for the past two seasons. It was organized as a military camp and to him as commandant there was entrusted the entire organization and administration.



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the theory of flying, the rigging of a flying boat, navigation, seamanship, use of instruments in navigation, motors, bombing, and radio-telegraphy. After completing the ten weeks course at the Institute, the graduates were sent to naval bases where they received instruction in actual flying. Next the aviators were engaged in actual fighting at the front, U-boat hunting in the North Sea, and coast patrol work.

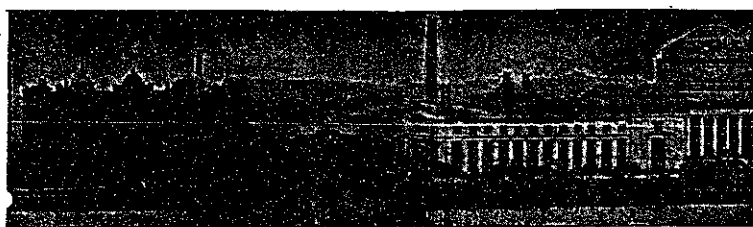
There are about 100 cadet aviators left at Technology and they constitute the last class to receive diplomas when their ground training course is completed on Saturday. None of these students will be given the opportunity to fly. Instead they will be put on the inactive list without receiving commissions.

## SWIMMING TEAM

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The most promising of the new men is Sydney Biddell, scholastic star, and holder of many New England titles. Others who have shown considerable ability as swimmers are W. Purington from Andover, M. S. McGhie from Hill, and R. Skinner of last year's freshmen team, in diving, and Francis Gallagher of Huntington, Wilkes and Starbuck, in the plunges. The best men in the dashes seem to be Untersee, Foster, Biddell, and Young. It is hoped that R. W. Barker, S. Schenberg, of the City College of New York, H. C. Fish of Worcester, and N. J. Green will develop in this line.

Manager Richard McKay plans to hold meets, if possible with Yale, Princeton, Columbia, Pennsylvania, Annapolis, Cornell, and Amherst. Many dates are open at present. The freshmen team will meet the leading preparatory schools of New England.



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**M. E. SOCIETY STARTS**

Elections of Officers and Reorganization Starts Soon

The M. E. Society started to reorganize Tuesday by holding a short meeting in Room 3-270. During the past term, military matters have interfered with its formation, but present indications point to a successful year. Prof. Miller addressed the Course II. men, pointing out the relationship of the M. E. society here with the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. Membership in the M. E. Society, he said, brings with it numerous advantages which would otherwise be lost to the student. In the first place, he stated, an engineer cannot advertise himself. Success comes as a result of his being known and membership will place him in this position. He went on to say that innumerable benefits may be derived from the discussions and papers read, to say nothing of the talks given by well-known engineers. The members have a chance to meet the big men of their vocation. Again, he said, full membership in the M. E. society allows a man to put M. E. after his name. Technology graduates upon graduation are only junior members of the society. They have all privileges except that of voting for officers.

Professor Miller continued that, compared with the advantages which are gained, the inconvenience to men living in the suburbs in attending the meetings amounts to little.

Nominations are open for officers and each man is urged to vote in the elections. The candidates must be Juniors of Course II. and members in good standing of the M. E. Society. Each nomination paper must be signed by five members of the society and handed into the Information office by Friday noon.

**DORMITORY COMMITTEE MEETS**

The boys in the "dorms" were started on the road to a future of jolly-good times by a meeting of the Dormitory Executive Committee Friday. The paramount object of this gathering was to unbalance the possible 50-50 standing in voting, by electing a fifth member to the Committee. Hence a man was chosen to be able to cast the deciding ballot, namely R. J. Tobin, '20. The revised committee therefore is composed of M. A. Michaels, C. H. Reed, P. E. Haebler, W. R. McKenney and R. J. Tobin, all of '20.

Since the new member was not present at this meeting no further business was transacted. However, a meeting of the five was called for Tuesday evening, for the purpose of electing officers and discussing plans and resulting problems.

Despite the handicap of even numbers the four men were not idle. Immediate possibilities were set forth and criticized. One of these was the subject of dormitory hockey in response to Runkle's challenge. Nothing definite was decided about this because of Tobin's absence. Basketball and bowling were also discussed.

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